

Toll are a terrible idea:

- They create bottlenecks which slow down the flow of traffic. It's difficult enough to get thru Stamford now without tolls and would be impossible if tolls were installed.
- They are dangerous, with people changing lanes trying to find the correct lane (cash, token, or EzPass).
- The funds are rarely used to support the roads they are collected on.
- All tolls should be banned on a national basis and replaced with a national fuel tax dedicated to the construction and maintenance of highways. In this way, all roadways could be funded by all of us based on the amount we drive. The funds would be distributed to the states they were collected in.

As a manufacturer's representative I travel throughout the Northeast. I find that Connecticut is delinquent in the construction of highways. I-95 was built over 50 years ago, and basically has the same number of lanes as it did when it was built. New Jersey on the other hand is constantly expanding their highways to keep up with the growth in population and commerce.

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